

HIGHER EDUCATION AND CIVIC DUTIES.

Several amendments to the address were finally adopted. These included a petition for the revision of the Irish land and taxation laws, protests against the enforcement of the crimes act and the operation of certain courts, and against the concentration camps in South Africa. Another amendment contained an appeal for the relief of the congested districts and the better housing of the working classes in Ireland.

The Republic is in the "Want" Ad business good and strong; 323 advertisements.

J. A. Turner, Aged 50 Years, May Marry Maggie Stephenson, 19.
REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
 Suffolk, Va., Jan. 15.—James A. Turner, aged about 50, and Miss Maggie A. Stephenson, who is only 19, have left for North Carolina, where they expect to marry. The bride was a granddaughter of Turner's mother, who was Mrs. J. J. Stokes. Turner says the girl's dead grandmother requested him to wed Maggie. Such a marriage is

**Delegates Selected at Muscogee
Leave for Washington.**

Ardmore, I. T., Jan. 18.—The single statehood delegation elected at the Muscogee convention departed to-day for Washington to urge Congress to enact speedy legislation in behalf of autonomy.

The delegation goes united for single statehood for Oklahoma, and will make a strong fight in that direction. The Senate Committee on Indian Affairs will give the

Carried Hot Coals in Dress.
Gertrude Burns, the 3-year-old daughter of Mrs. Annie Burns of No. 2515 Glasgow avenue, was burned about the body while playing with a stove in her mother's room yesterday afternoon. The child attempted to carry a live coal in her dress. In extinguishing the blaze Mrs. Burns was burned about the hands. Gertrude was burned about the body, face and shoulders. Doctor W. H. McLaughlin, who was called, examined and dressed the burns and said the child would

Rubber Factory Will Be Closed.
Woonsocket, R. I., Jan. 15.—Notice was posted in the Alice rubber factory, announcing a closing of the plant after January 25. The Alice mill is owned by the United States Rubber Company, and generally gives employment to about 1,000 hands. Open winters during the past three years, which have caused an overproduction, are believed to be the cause of the shutdown.